

STIFF FIGHT IS OFFERED BY GERMANS

KAISER'S FORCES EXERT VAL-
IANT EFFORTS TO THWART
ADVANCE OF BRITISH
ARMY.

BRITISH CLAIM GAINS

Advance Several Points in Drive To-
ward Cambrai Says London An-
nouncement—Wedges
Threaten German
Line.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
What is apparently the bitterest
fighting of the present Anglo-
French offensive is being fought to-
day along the Western front, the last-
mentioned position east of Arras,
to which the Germans retired from
the Hindenburg line. The Germans are
putting forth a supreme effort to
hold this vital portion of their
defense, the capturing of which
would expose the German line and
bring into prospect another
great retreat.

The British have driven two
wedges into the German position,
one along a sharp salient in the re-
gion of the Scarpe river and north
of the Bapaume-Cambrai road.
The head of the first salient is
within four miles of victory, the most important points
on the Western front, but the tena-
city and power with which the
Germans are fighting leaves the
issue for a time in doubt.

Siege Guns Useless.
The semi-open character of the
fighting affords little opportunity
for use of great howitzers, these
monstrous engines of destruction
being best adapted for smashing
of permanent defenses. The British
line is being wedged largely with
machine guns and field artillery
and meager reports from the
fighting line indicate heavy losses
on both sides, although British
claim their casualties are moder-
ate compared with those of the
enemy.

The situation behind the German
line, fraught as it is with far more
serious possibilities than those
presented by any battle, remains
dubious and uncertain. The little news
that trickles across the German front
indicates that the authorities have
gained an upper hand over the
strikers, by drastic method of mil-
itarizing the population and forcing
all able-bodied men into fighting
ranks. It is too early and information is too
meager to say whether these stern
measures of repression have definitely
crushed the stirring storm of discon-
tent which has swept over the German
empire.

The only news from Austria in some
days is that the Pro-German
forces have emerged as victors in
the struggle for control of the govern-
ment. This news is vague, however,
and comes by a roundabout route.

Says London, April 24.—The British
gained ground on a wide front last night
south of the Bapaume-Cambrai road.
They reached the St. Quentin canal
in four places. Further north the vil-
lages of Beaucamp and Villers-Polich
were captured.

The positions gained on the French
front yesterday were maintained and fur-
ther progress was made east of
Monchy and near Rouex.
More than 1500 prisoners were tak-
en in yesterday's operation and many
more coming in.

On French Front.
Paris, April 24.—The artillery was
very active last night in the vicinity
of the British line in the Foulon valley,
and near Caronne, says today's offi-
cial announcement. French patrols
took prisoners. Two German attacks
during the night were repulsed. In
the campaign there was grenade
fighting.

French Drive Fails.
Amsterdam via London, April 24.—
The British drive in the Tages
region today was the result of the
French offensive are hitherto com-
pletely unimportant.

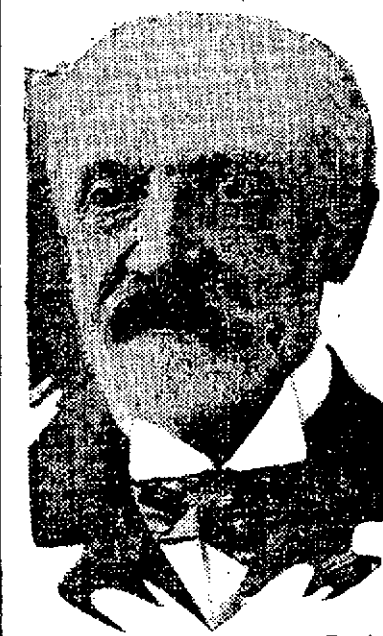
German Defenses Tighten.
British Headquarters in Staff from
Staff, Germany, says the A. P. April
24.—The resistance of the German
armies appears to increase in accord-
ance with the nearness of the British
approach to the Hindenburg position.
The present front where the threat is
against the Drocourt-Quentin switch
line, which is depended upon by the
Germans as the connecting link be-
tween their main line of defense, the
Hindenburg line, and the line of the
switch line south of Lille. This is the
switch line toward which the Ger-
mans are falling back slowly but
surely as a result of turning of the
original line from just southeast of Arras
toward Quentin.

The fighting, which began at dawn
yesterday beyond Arras, increased in
intensity late in the afternoon and
last night. The ground gained by the
British was won in the face of the
most desperate fighting on the part
of the Germans since the war began.
Trenches were being taken for the time being
by the British. The Germans, away from
their deep dugouts where so often in
the past they were inclined to seek
refuge during a period of intense
fighting, were seen to make every
effort to resist. During an attack and
counter attack, the cries of officers and
their men could be heard above the
rattle of battle.

Last Deciding Push.
This is the last and deciding push,
for we soon shall be able to hold out
no longer," reads the diary of a Ger-
man officer, captured yesterday. It is
evidently in this spirit that the pres-
ent fighting is going on.

The struggle of the opposing troops
last night may be seen plainly
from the neighboring hillsides.
Berlin Admits Gain.
Berlin, Bulletin via London, April
24.—Only on the Cambrai road
did the British gain ground yester-
day, says an official statement issued
today by German army headquarters
staff. The ruins of Quenappe, which
were in the hands of the British,
were captured by the British to break
through German line near Arras, the
statement added, failed with tremen-
dous losses.

TO REPRESENT NEW RUSSIA IN AMERICA



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Baron Rosen.

Baron Romanovitch Rosen, who
was ambassador to the United States
from Russia from 1905 to 1911, is
returning to this country. It is be-
lieved that he will resume his old
post as representative of the Russian
government. M. Bakmeteff, who
succeeded Baron Rosen in 1911, ten-
dered his resignation shortly after
the revolutionists had overthrown
the Romanoff dynasty.

FORECAST PASSAGE OF DRAFT MEASURE BEFORE WEEK ENDS

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
Washington, April 24.—The passage
of the war army bill by the end of
the week was forecasted today upon as-
sembly of congress. General de-
bate on the measure continued in
both houses. A vote may be reached
in the house Thursday and in the sen-
ate by Saturday. Attention is focused
mainly on the house where opposition
to the administration plan for raising
an army by selective draft is strong.
In the senate passage of the bill
is virtually without modification is ex-
pected.

When the senate resumed debate,
Senator Chamberlain, in charge of
the bill, said he would not seek to set
the issue for a vote before tomorrow.
Senator La Follette of Wisconsin
offered an amendment for later
discussion to establish a system of tri-
bunals, local, state and national, to
determine exemptions from draft.

Like Jury Service.
Chicago, April 24.—Senator James
Hawley of Illinois compared the con-
scription policy of the administration
to liability to jury service, in the
course of an address delivered today
before the Chicago Association of
Commerce.

LA FOLLETTE ENVOY ON WAY TO RUSSIA?

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., April 24.—Lin-
coln Steffens, well known as a mag-
azine writer, is on his way to Russia
for the reported purpose of giving ex-
pert advice and assistance in fram-
ing a constitution for the government
of that nation. The mission of Mr.
Steffens is attributed to the suggestion
of Senator Robert M. La Follette
of Wisconsin, perhaps the most
radical of the radical group of
senators of any sort is obtainable from
Senator La Follette, and his attitude
has given interest to the venture on
which Mr. Steffens is supposed to
have embarked.

According to talk here, Mrs. Stef-
fens was picked for the job of consti-
tution writing by Senator La Follette,
and is in a sense his agent. Just why
Senator La Follette should have any
part in drafting a constitution for
Russia is not known.

RUSSIANS INCENSED BY SINKING OF SHIP

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
London, April 24.—Dispatches from
Petrograd today state the Russian so-
cialists are greatly exercised over the
sinking of a German submarine off
the coast of the Baltic. The Russian
home front is filled with Russian refugees,
and a number of Russian ships were
torpedoed in northern waters two
days later.

2 NORWEGIAN SHIPS SUNK BY SUBMARINES

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
London, April 24.—It is officially
announced in Norway, says a dispatch
from Christiansia, that the Norwegian
steamer Reice, has been sunk by a
German submarine in the North sea,
and the Norwegian steamer, Skjold,
of 1,126 tons, in the Atlantic.

SON OF BONAR LAW IS REPORTED AS "MISSING"

London, April 24.—Lieutenant C. J.
Law, second son of Andrew Bonar
Law, chancellor of exchequer, is re-
ported to have been wounded in
Palestine and to be missing.

Chancellor Bonar Law has four
sons and two daughters. His eldest
son, Captain J. K. Law, of the royal
flying corps, was wounded in France
last year.

NO TRUTH TO THE REPORT GERMAN SUBMARINE CAPTURED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
Washington, April 24.—Denial of
reports that a German submarine had
been captured by an American war
ship in a net near Newport News, Va.,
and was being taken to New York,
was made today by Secretary Daniels.

DECLARES KAISER WAS ADVISED TO ABDICATE CROWN

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
Rome, April 24.—The Courriere d'
Italia, the clerical organ declares
it is able to confirm reports published
in the Spanish newspapers that the
immediate following of the German
emperor is exerting pressure on him
to abdicate. The paper says that at
a recent meeting of the Hohenzollern
family, one member, bolder than the
rest, intimated that the emperor
might save the situation by following
the advice of Emperor Nicholas.
The German monarch is reported to
have turned pale and after observing
the general opinion was against him,
left the room muttering: "We shall
see." The same evening he summon-
ed another family council. The chan-
cellor and some of the ministers were
present, but what ever passed remain-
ed unknown. Little importance is at-
tached to this story in Italian politi-
cal circles.

ASSOCIATED PRESS OPENS ITS SESSION

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
New York, April 24.—The annual
meeting of Associated Press was held
today. In an address to members
at luncheon held after business meet-
ing, Frank B. Noyes, president of As-
sociated Press, said:
"In the past it has been necessary
on like occasions for me to explain
the constraint the Associated Press
feels in the matter of strict neutral-
ity on all controversial points, due
to varied and manifold opinion of its
membership.
"Today, thank God, this is not only
not necessary, but the contrary is
true, for no trace of neutrality is
cursing in our veins, but red blood
and red blood alone. Today we are
all one. We are all Americans and
all true Americans are standing
with our cousins to the North and
those across the sea who are hat-
ting the government that governs
the people, by the people, for the
people, shall not perish from the
earth.
"Never have the splendid ideals not
alone of our country but of the world
of democracy, been more greatly
stated, than on a night but a few
weeks past in the capital building at
Washington. Calmly, deliberately,
wisely our chosen leader has as-
sembled behind him a united nation,
anxious to do its full part in this
terrible ordeal.
"The battle is being fought by
those whose blood and treasure have
been so freely spent, highly resolved
these dead shall not have died in
vain."

"In every past great national crisis
that we have met, God has raised
a leader, true to his trust, to lead
his people to victory. In this day of
national peril he has
not failed us.
"I give you the health of the pres-
ident, the United States, Woodrow
Wilson."
Publishers and advertising men
from all parts of the United States
and Canada are here for the annual
conventions of the Associated Press
and the American Newspaper Pub-
lishers' Association. The members of
the Associated Press met this morn-
ing for the opening session of the A. N. P.
A will be held tomorrow.

One of the most important ques-
tions for discussion is that of the
censorship. George Creel, chairman
of the committee on public infor-
mation, addressed a message
to the convention asking for aid and
cooperation. The high price of news-
print paper also will be discussed.
The fourth annual report of the bu-
reau of advertising of the A. N. P. A.
shows that the newspapers of the
country during 1916, gained \$20,000,000
in advertising over the preceding
year, while the magazines showed a
gain of nine million dollars. A gain
of sixteen percent in newspaper ad-
vertising was reported for the first
three months of this year. Over the
corresponding period in 1916, in spite
of the fact that a "record breaking"
figure was established in that year
and in spite of conditions "that are
more or less unsettled." The bureau
recommended adoption of a plan to
bring about an agreement against
free publicity.

PRESIDENT SIGNS WAR CREDIT BILL

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
Washington, April 24.—President
Wilson today signed the war credit
bill authorizing the sale of five billion
dollars of government bonds and two
billion in treasury certificates.
Having decided on Great Britain as
the first of the entente nations to be
beneficiary of an American loan, the
secretary of state is expected to an-
nounce details within a few days.
Meantime the secretary is awaiting
full reports on the financial condition
of all entente nations, representatives of
their governments.
Great Britain's loan will come from
the sale of five billion dollars of
bonds authorized by congress of which
three billion is to go to the allies.

FOOD SITUATION TO BE HOOVER'S STUDY

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
Washington, April 24.—The work to
be performed by Herbert Hoover,
secretary of war, with food problems and
prices in the United States was out-
lined as follows by W. F. Gifford, di-
rector of the council of national
defense.
It is especially desired to have Mr.
Hoover report to the council on ex-
perience and action of European gov-
ernments in the matter of food prob-
lems, conservation and prices, and
to make recommendations as to the
best methods of assisting the allies
in preventing the evils arising from
speculation and manipulation.

On Balkan Front.
Sofia, via London, April 24.—A war
office statement issued today reads:
"All Monday our positions between
the Vardar and Lake Doiran, were
subjected to violent artillery fire,
which at times attained the intensity
of drum fire.
"In the evening British infantry
units advanced, but were sanguinarily
repulsed."

BRAY BILL WILL PASS IN SENATE

AUTHORIZES HOLDING PLAT-
FORM CONVENTION BEFORE
THE PRIMARIES ARE
HELD.

SOLDIERS' BILL PASSED

Council of Defense May Have Right
to Seize Food and Fuel if Prices
Appear Too High Under Exist-
ing Conditions.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
Madison, April 24.—The senate, 16
to 14, today refused to kill Senator
Bray's bill to amend the primary law,
so that platform conventions may be
held in advance of primary election.
The convention will be composed of
delegates chosen at the spring elec-
tion. The bill was laid over until to-
morrow after a ruling that it was in
the engrossment stage, and subject to
amendment. An amendment by
Bray requiring that all candidates be in
substantial accord with the plat-
form of the convention was adopted,
18 to 12.

Another amendment by Bray for
submission of the law to referendum
vote at next spring's election, was re-
jected, 21 to 8. An amendment by
Arnold that the law should not apply
to political organizations polling less
than fifteen per cent of the total vote
was adopted. Under suspension of
the rules, the Burke bill for state re-
funding for dependents of soldiers, was
passed.

A bill backed by the administration
will be introduced to give to the state
council of defense power to seize
foodstuffs in case of market condi-
tions or an attempt to charge unrea-
sonable prices develops during the
war.

For assessment of state property
for the building of highways along its
border.
Increasing funds available for
teachers' training courses in high
schools.
Giving \$25 monthly pension to
teachers who have taught in rural
schools for twenty-five years.
Regulating the sale of text books.
Engrossment was given bills provid-
ing for no tuition fees for children of
parents residing in the state one year
and appropriating money for highway
improvements at Camp Douglas.

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ENGLAND DEMANDS UNIVERSAL SERVICE SAYS GEN. BRIDGES

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Washington, April 24.—Lieutenant
General Bridges, member of the Brit-
ish commission here today in a talk
with newspaper correspondents said
that British democracy had become
almost fanatical over universal mili-
tary service. The volunteer system
under which the empire entered the
war, General Bridges said, has cost
the lives of most valuable citizens,
crippled industrial mobilizations and
immeasurably set back England's ef-
forts.
"The war," said General Bridges,
"is no longer a war of expeditions,
but is a case of nation against nation.
Men, women and children are equally
drawn into its vortex, the women and
children being forced into industry
and fed on half rations in order to
supply the men at the front.
"War has become an immensely
democratic business, and needs the
full effort of every member of the
community directed along the line
most necessary to be served."

MARINETTE COUNCIL OF DEFENSE FORMED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
Marinette, April 24.—The Marinette
council of defense is rapidly making
its plans so that it will be able to
make a thorough campaign of the city
and county to stimulate growing of
foodstuffs.
A meeting was held last night at
which it was decided to go before
the county board Wednesday and ask
for an appropriation of \$3,000 to car-
ry on the work. The county agricul-
tural school is expected to adjourn in
the near future so that the students
can return to the farms and
aid in the work there. The teachers
of the school will be asked to hold
night classes and to give lectures in all
parts of the county to instruct farm-
ers effective methods to increase
crops.

ENGLAND CONSIDERS FOOD CARD SYSTEM

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
London, April 24.—A meeting of ex-
pert official advisors to the food con-
troller and experts from the Belgian
relief commission was held this morn-
ing at which the relief members gave
an account of bread card system em-
ployed in Belgium. It was said, that
upon the result of this conference de-
cided to study whether the food con-
troller would institute a rationing sys-
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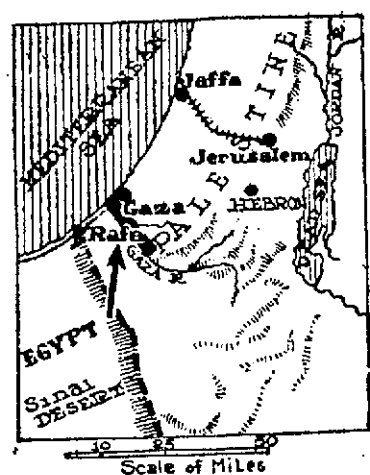
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BRITISH ARMY IS NEAR JERUSALEM



Scale of Miles

As is shown by this map, the Brit-
ish in advancing into Palestine are
following the coast of the Mediter-
ranean and are also building a rail-
road behind them. This not only
gives them the shortest route by
which to advance from Egypt toward
Jerusalem but enables them to take
advantage of their control of the sea
to keep in touch with the advance
and bring up supplies.
The map, moreover, clearly shows
that previous reports that British
forces had reached Hebron, just
south of Jerusalem, were mistaken.
They are not yet more than twenty
miles beyond the Egyptian border,
and are at least fifty miles from
Jerusalem. The shortest route to
advance to the city is through the
desert, and the British are now
in the Sinai desert behind them is
absolutely necessary to keep their
communication secure.

BRITISH WIN FROM TURKS IN PALESTINE AND TIGRIS VALLEY

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
London, April 24.—The Turks in
Mesopotamia have been driven from
their positions between Samarra and
Izablat, the war office announces.
The British pursuing them, occupied
Samarra yesterday, capturing
sixteen locomotives and two hundred
and twenty-four railway trucks.

British in Palestine.
Correspondent of Associated Press, April 24.—
It is over two months since British
troops entered El Arish, which geo-
graphically and historically is the
gate of Palestine. The continuation
of their advance now puts them firmly
on the soil of the Holy Land.
Progress from the sands of the
desert to the town land was marked
by three separate stages. The first
troops entered El Burg, bringing the
year of yellow sand, the green
vistas were refreshing to the eyes.
The second stage, marking the transi-
tion from the green meadows to land
of barley fields. Sheikh Zowaid is a
mud village but boasts a fruit orchard
which entered the eye of the British
thousands of men who had seen
no sign of spring for two years. The
third stage was from Sheikh Zowaid
to the city of Gaza, the last of the
Rafa and marked the entry into the
country of wheat. The grass was no
longer found in patches but stretch-
ing away in undulating plains like
downs of Sussex and Hampshire.
Even the flowers show a liveliness
as they breathe the flower scented
air. The undulating plains covered
here with green grass there with
waving barley, the bounded on west
side the golden dunes the last mark
of the desert that fringes the
coast and on the other side by the
blue hills that run in an unbroken
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Administration Officials
on Conduct of War.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS]
Washington, April 24.—The French
commission has safely landed in
United States. This official statement
was made early today by the govern-
ment.

The Department of State is ad-
vised of the safe arrival of the French
commission.
The commission which includes
Marshal Joffre and former Premier
Viviani arrived early this morning on
board a speedy steamship of the
French line, which was conveyed
across the Atlantic. The vessels were
met off the coast by American torpedo
boat destroyers and escorted to a port.
The naval and military attaches of
the French embassy at Washington
and American naval and military of-
ficers, together with a representative
of the state department immediately
boarded the French vessel and ex-
tended a welcome to American shores.

Later the state department issued
this statement:
"The department of state is ad-
vised that the French mission will reach
Washington tomorrow morning. The precise
time and place of arrival will be an-
nounced later."

Envoys Confer.
Arthur James Balfour, British
foreign secretary, was today in con-
sultation with other members of the
British commission on means to dis-
pose of the enormous amount of work
already developed.

Invitations have been received from
all parts of the country asking Mr.
Balfour and other members of com-
mission to visit them but at present
the British do not intend to take any
time away from the present mission.

Envoys via Paris, April 24.—It is
expected that the Duke of the Abruzzi,
cousin of King Victor Emanuel, will
head an Italian mission in the United
States.

A went ad will rent that house.

WALWORTH

Walworth, April 23.—Orie Gates of Waukegan and Arlin Gates of Chicago spent the weekend at their respective homes.

Landing the electric storm Wednesday lightning struck the residence of the Church, demolishing the chimney.

John Lawson and wife of Delavan were guests at the F. E. Lawson home Wednesday.

Mrs. John Pelter is quite ill. Her son of Antioch is caring for her.

W. H. Hally has sold his farm, near the brick church.

John Featherstone of Delavan was spending his Saturday night.

Antonia Merensky, who went to Milwaukee to enlist in the army, was released because of a defective eye.

Frank Sutherland was in town Saturday night. She has been ill and confined to the house.

Miss Emma Schaid and children spent the weekend in Crystal Lake with relatives.

Mrs. C. A. Bode and daughter, who were guests during the weekend of Mrs. W. E. McElwain, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Nelson Young and daughter, who reside near Sharon, were shopping here Saturday.

Phil Perring is busy making garden hose these pleasant days.

Mrs. Will Coon spent last week in Sharon.

The R. N. A. met in their hall Thursday p. m. to transact business.

County Agent Oldham spoke in the court room Tuesday evening on "What Walworth County is Doing in Preparedness for War."

Mrs. Jerome Ingalls is very ill in a hospital in Racine.

Mrs. Dick Leedle of Zenda was in town Saturday.

Walworth high school students will go to Hebron Thursday night to present "Sylvia," a school farce.

Brandt has returned from the Harvard College hospital where he was a patient the past week.

Walter Welch left Wednesday for Lansing, Mich., to drive home a new car he recently purchased.

Mrs. E. J. Jones enjoyed a visit from her sister of Milwaukee last week. Miss Helen Jewel returned home with her to spend a few days.

The boys of the C. A. Parker and crossed bats on Saturday afternoon on the Walworth grounds.

John Van Dresser is building a bungalow in the new block addition west of the Chadsy bungalow.

Mrs. J. W. Wesson, Mrs. Eli Milton, Mrs. H. A. Rogers, Mrs. Nettie Edgington and Miss Nettie Edgington were Walworth visitors Thursday.

Everett Stillman was a Delavan visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cunningham and daughter, Grace, visited at the Ford Cunningham home, north of Delavan, last Sunday.

Mrs. Will Bowdish and children visited Mrs. Bowdish's people in Albion Saturday.

Adonia Rebekah Lodge observed the fourth anniversary of their order in Walworth on Wednesday night by a social hour after lodge. A good attendance and fine time reported.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Coon and daughter Elizabeth left Monday for Columbus, O., to make their home.

Francis Clappison is very ill with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. Maud Lowry of Footville is in Walworth again this week in the interest of the Royal neighbors.

Mrs. G. E. Dix of Durand, Ill., was a guest at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. William Kahn and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Atkinson the latter part of last week.

Mrs. J. H. Karney spent Friday in Janesville.

Attorneys Frank Jenks of Madison, M. G. Jeffris of Janesville, J. M. Becker and Samuel Blum of Monroe, Messrs. Max Becker, J. M. Stauff and Messrs. Sherb, Engelhardt and County Clerk C. A. Roderick, Monroe, were in Brodhead Friday to attend the funeral of Attorney H. Sprague.

Mrs. S. Stray is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bert Brown, in Beloit.

Misses Mabel Heath, Florence Moor and Eunice Moore were visitors in Janesville Friday.

William Edgar of Beloit visited her mother, Mrs. James Linzey, and returned home on Friday.

Seven cars of the Sunday west-bound freight jumped the track two miles east of Brodhead. One was a gasoline tank truck with a full tank, four were loaded with coal, one with lumber and another with hay. The gasoline tank truck was punctured, allowing the contents to run over the coal, all taking fire, resulting in a total loss. A report gained circulation that two tramps were caught in the smashup and killed, but this cannot be verified.

Milton News

Milton, April 23.—Miss Della Lynd of Elgin, Ill., and Frank W. Farley, cashier in the Whitewater office of the Milwaukee road, were married Saturday and will make their home in this village.

C. W. Crumb transacted business in Milwaukee Saturday.

Engineer P. C. Risdon of Milwaukee was in the village Saturday.

G. W. Post, Jr., of Chicago spent Saturday here.

Mrs. S. Burdick and Miss Brown of Chicago visited Mr. and Mrs. D. P. McWilliams Saturday.

Rev. W. D. Burdick supplied the pulpit at the S. D. E. church Saturday.

P. Marquardt is breaking ground for the new home which he is going to build this summer on Park street.

Elisha Main of Albion was in town Friday.

Born, April 20, to Prof. R. V. Hurley and wife, a daughter.

B. H. Wells and family made an auto trip to Milwaukee Saturday, returning Sunday.

Paul Ubranke and wife spent Sunday in Milwaukee.

EAST PORTER

East Porter, April 23.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Green spent Sunday with F. Davis and family.

Mrs. J. Murphy and daughter Anna spent Sunday at the home of H. Keegan in Center.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Condon of Edgerton were Sunday guests at the Condon home. Little Frank Harnack, son of C. Harnack, had the misfortune to fall, cutting his tongue so that it was necessary to take ten stitches in it. Dr. Cary was called and the little fellow is getting along very nicely.

Mrs. J. J. O'Neill and Miss Ellie O'Neill were Janesville shoppers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Manthe spent Sunday with A. Shultz and family.

Mrs. F. Peach spent Sunday in Edgerton.

Word was received from Frank Ford, who went to Montana a few weeks ago. He is working for M. L. O'Neill.

C. Jones of Janesville was a business caller in this vicinity one day last week.

CLINTON NEWS

Clinton, April 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jacobson have decided to remain in Clinton and on Saturday purchased the C. M. Treat place on Milwaukee street, which was sold at auction.

Edgworth Fre came up from Beloit on Friday to visit his mother, Mrs. Susan Fre.

Mrs. J. Zwolanek and daughters Helen and Miss Gunda Hudson are visiting relatives in Stoughton over Sunday.

E. H. Barnum went to Aberdeen, S. D. last Tuesday on a business trip.

Misses Jennie Nelson and Clara Zimmerman of Delavan are visiting here over Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Wheeland of Los Angeles arrived here Saturday to visit her nephew, A. S. Jacobson, and wife.

Clifton Barnum stopped off between trains from Chicago to Madison on Friday to visit at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rogers are expected to return from Florida next Saturday.

Harvey Van Horn and family have moved back to their home at Allen Grove, after spending the winter in Clinton.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold an all day session at the church next Thursday, April 26. A picnic dinner will be served. Prayer meeting will be held in the church this week Thursday at the usual time. All cordially invited.

The funeral of Mrs. A. B. Rogers was held last Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home on Milwaukee street. Rev. W. P. Ireland conducted the services. The burial was in the Clinton cemetery. Lucinda E. Jones was born in Darion township, Walworth county, June 8, 1841. She was married to Arthur B. Rogers July 3, 1862, and the remainder of her life was spent in and near Clinton. To mourn her loss are the husband and five children, Mrs. Minnie S. Hambley, Frank B. Mrs. Mary E. Hambley, Herman A. and Mrs. Nettie L. Hamilton, all of Clinton; also five grandchildren and two great grandchildren, and a large number of other relatives. The friends of the family who attended the funeral were: L. H. Jones, Huron, S. D.; Mrs. Waite, Kansas City; Mrs. Raymond Crook, Quist, Minneapolis; Mrs. L. Love, Mrs. H. Love, Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. T. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. S. Welch, Delavan; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Welch, Miss Waite, Mrs. Flaherty, Darion; Mr. and Mrs. George Tuttle, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tuttle, Woodstock; Mrs. Henry Marsh, Rockford; Mrs. Edwin Haskins, Pewaukee.

Orfordville News

Orfordville, Wis., April 23.—Between thirty and forty members of the Evansville Epworth League came to Orfordville on Sunday afternoon for a meeting at the M. E. Church in the evening. The young people were full of life and their discussion of the topic indicated that they made excellent preparation. The meeting was greatly enjoyed by an audience that filled the church.

B. M. Johnson left by automobile on Monday morning for Schofield, Wisconsin, where he will make his future home.

Rural Carrier Hamblet has a new car for use in Uncle Sam's line. He gave it its maiden trip on Monday.

Rev. H. G. Rogers motored to Janesville on Monday afternoon in company with J. E. Eggar. They are preparing for a picnic meeting at Orfordville in the near future.

The Railroad company built a temporary track around the wreck of the village on Sunday night, so that all passenger trains were nearly on time on Monday.

Jessie Graham of Brodhead transacted business in Orfordville on Monday forenoon.

JOHNSTOWN

Johnstown, April 23.—Word was received Friday, April 20, that William Hadden, one of Rock Prairie's well known and most highly respected citizens, had passed away at his home in Lod. He was born in Johnstown, Ill., forty-eight years ago. His death was due to a severe attack of appendicitis. James Hadden, his aged father, was with him when he passed away. The deepest sympathy is extended to the relatives. Funeral services will be held Tuesday from the home.

Nels Anderson has returned home after having spent the winter in Chicago.

A. Planow is having his farm buildings painted.

James McLay has a new car.

Mrs. J. T. Ward was a guest last week of relatives at Sharon.

The children in district No. 3 are having a siege of whooping cough.

Avon Rye has returned from North Dakota, where he went with a car of cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brummond's Sunday guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew North, daughter Esther, Mr. and Mrs. North, Jr., of Beloit, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Messerschmitt and family of Millard, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fenner, son, Harvey of Delavan.

CAINVILLE CENTER

Cainville Center, April 23.—The Helpers' Union will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Alma Andrew.

Rev. C. H. Hewitt of Hudson Falls, New York, will be here and preach Wednesday evening in the A. G. church. He was a former pastor of this place. All will be pleased to have him visit our church at this time.

Harry Bennett is visiting his brother, Charles and family in Vernon county.

Mr. Christopherson was a visitor at his farm last week.

Eva and Ella Townsend, Doris Klusmeyer and Nellie Gardner motored to Janesville Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Bowles of Brodhead, recently visited her daughter, Mrs. Charles Roberts.

Elcott Fraser and family spent Sunday at Dell Townsend's.

Mrs. Sophie Bennett visited Mrs. Fred Byers Friday.

Mrs. Wayne Lewis and Miss Luella Swannett accompanied Mrs. Butts to church Sunday morning.

Mr. Klusmeyer entertained company Sunday from Silver Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Harper and son, Clarence, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perce on Saturday.

Mrs. Bates of Porter, is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. George Kothlow.

School was closed early Friday afternoon, owing to the illness of Miss Sumterfelt.

The patriotic program planned for last Friday evening was not given as

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Living Room	1		1	
Dining Room	1		1	
Kitchen	1		1	
3 Bedrooms	0	3	0	
Basement	1		1	
Hall	1		2	

	Ceiling Outlets	Bracket Outlets	Switch Outlets	
Living Room	1		1	A house this size can be wired and furnished with snap switches for \$23.00 and with flush (push button) switches for \$25.00. Fixtures can be bought for \$13.00 and up. Pay \$7.50 when job is completed and the balance in 12 monthly installments.
Dining Room	1		1	
Kitchen	1		1	
2 Bedrooms	0	2	0	
Basement	1		1	
Hall	1		2	

	Outlets Ceiling	Outlets Bracket	Outlets Switch	
Living Room	1		1	A house this size can be wired and furnished with snap switches for \$18.00 and with flush (push button) switches for \$17.00. Fixtures can be bought for \$10.00 and up. Pay \$5.00 when job is completed and the balance in 12 monthly installments.
Dining Room	1		1	
Kitchen	1		1	
2 Bedrooms	0	2	0	

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Mr. Farmer, this market is a sure-thing for you. The price is set by the association so that your profit is guaranteed. Your check will be ready every thirty days and our rating is such that, if you care to look it up, this concern is responsible and financially able to pay on the dot.

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If you can start sending us milk right away we'd be glad to hear from you. Just phone us so that we may both start a mutually profitable business relation at once.

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DARIEN

Darien, April 23.—Mrs. Mayme Christopherson returned to Milwaukee Saturday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schiller the past few days.

Miss Gertrude Lawson of Delavan visited at J. B. Johnson's from Friday until today.

Misses Artie Willard, Irene Hastings, Leah Rockwell, Muriel Cannon, Dorothy and Edith Merensky, Mrs. John Peters, J. L. Turner and John Peters, Willard were Delavan visitors Saturday.

Miss Grace Fries arrived Saturday from Richmond Center to spend a few days at H. J. Heyer's.

Miss Phyllis Wood was on the sick list Saturday.

Miss Leah Rockwell has accepted the position of assistant post master at the local office to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Lorette Ives. The change will be made May 1.

Mrs. T. Jones returned Friday from a visit with relatives in Illinois and advised that the Ladies' Aid society will meet at the Baptist Church parlors Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Emma Teeple and daughter Maud arrived home Saturday from Oshkosh where they had been to attend the funeral of the former's grandfather, James Swift.

Mrs. Edna West spent Saturday and Sunday at W. H. Hefley's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Benner and Mr. and Mrs. George Christie motored to Beloit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frank visited relatives at Clinton and Beloit Sunday.

Melbourne Reed and wife of Cicero,

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WEATHER FORECAST.

Unsettled weather with showers tonight and Wednesday; cooler Wednesday west portion.

CONSCRIPTION.

Conscription is not a new feature of the means that the United States has taken in the past to raise its armed forces to fighting strength. Abraham Lincoln set the following to study over him which he supports the draft system. He said in a memorable address to the public:

"You who do not like to be soldiers do not like this law. This is natural; nor does it imply want of patriotism. Nothing can be so just as to disagreeable to us. We are people, too, to find fault with the law which to excuse ourselves for opposing such disagreeable things. In this case, those who desire the rebellion to succeed, and others who seek reward in a different way, are very active in accommodation with this class of argument."

"Wherein is the peculiarity of this new means to maintain our free government, which our grandfathers employed to establish it and our own fathers have already employed once to maintain it? And we denigrate it? This the manhood of our race run out?"

Meanwhile there is the useless debate being continued in Washington. The debate which is of any kind as to whether we shall have a selective draft or continue to follow out the mistaken idea of trying the volunteer system? It might be interesting to note what will happen when the draft system is actually a law.

1. The president will designate by proclamation a day of registration, the voting precinct being used as the smallest unit for enrollment. The secretary of the various states will be asked to have the sheriffs of the counties appoint registers to take the names of all males between the ages of nineteen and twenty-five. Those who refuse to enroll will be arrested.

2. The state officers will exempt from military service persons engaged in industries, including agriculture, found to be necessary to the maintenance of the military establishment or the effective operation of the military forces, or the maintenance of national interests during the emergency.

3. Those not exempted will be reported to the war department, which will make further exemption. It is estimated that by August 1, the 500,000 men desired will be in training camps. In the meantime the government must provide equipment for the recruits.

4. It is estimated that the registration will result in an enrollment of 7,000,000, and about 40 per cent of these numbers will be needed out of the country for physical disabilities. The 2,000,000 to be selected from the remaining 50 per cent will be chosen by lot.

5. This is the period of spring cleaning. It might be well to suggest to at least one public utility company they could set an example that would be much appreciated by the traveling public and earn a thorough reputation for the care of the Janesville traction company. At least they might be swept out and dusted at regular intervals, especially in the cases where the second-hand cars are called into use owing to repairs being necessary on the regular "liners."

It is also most commendable to have yards raked up and cleaned, but to pile the boxes and refuse in the street and permit it to remain there for some days gives neighbors an opportunity to rebuke their own laws if the wind is just right. Aside from that it is most unsightly. However, it is part of spring cleaning, an epidemic that hits the average community once every twelve months.

The campaign of "swat the fly" should begin by the cleaning up of the rubbish and winter's accumulation of dirt. These are the breeding places for the pests, and if their breeding is destroyed it may mean a few million less flies next July and August. In this connection all householders should be required to have an air-tight garbage can as a sanitary precaution and a frequent disposal of the contents.

Spring cleaning is essential to the health of a household and of the community as a whole. It should be indulged in without restrictions, but by the municipality, by public utilities and individuals. A clean city is always commended upon and it decreases the spread of contagious disease. Clean up and paint up is a slogan that fits this time of the year.

TO THE FORE.

La Follette has stepped to the fore again and this time seeks to aid in the drawing up of the constitution of the new Russian republic. It is barely possible he will seek to inculcate the "American idea" into Russia. It fits along the line of government that the Russians have revolted against, but still it is new to the "children of the north" and might tickle their fancy. However, it is La Follette who sends an envoy across the water to build up a new republic. Let us see. Did not Aaron Burr have something of such an idea as regards the great western land west of the Mississippi once upon a time? A new republic or an empire something of that sort. The Great Adventure, chapters of which will be found in the news columns, tells of the failure of this plan and perhaps history will repeat itself as regards Russia.

PLANTING TIME.

Rock county farmers and gardeners have responded to the appeal for more food supplies being planted and it is safe to say when the harvest time comes it will be shown that this season of the year has done its share. Meanwhile the dairy and beef herds are being increased and with a

good season the granaries and cattle should make a marked impression in the general attack upon the foe. Satisfaction, which this European war has thrust upon us.

CENSORSHIP.

Already the effects of the press censorship of matters military and naval is demonstrated in the news columns. Somewhere on the Atlantic the sailor boys of the great plains are guarding the lines of travel. Somewhere on the Atlantic ships are crossing with supplies and war munitions. Somewhere in various parts of the United States soldiers plants, but it is always somewhere. The indefinite somewhere that has appeared for three years past in the dispatches relative to the fighting in France or the far east. The censorship has begun.

Wilson sounds the slogan when he announces to the representatives of the foreign powers now in Washington for a conference that the United States will stick with the allies to the bitter end. Russia, also, sends word that there will be no separate peace; that it would look as though the entrance of the United States, together with the spring drives of the French and English would have a moral effect upon the people of the Central powers that may result in satisfactory peace proposals.

Edgerton has come nobly to the front with a spirit of patriotism that would be hard to duplicate in any community of the same size. It is to be hoped the six more men necessary to complete the platoon will be obtained quickly and drills can be started so as to prepare this section of the Separate company for actual service. All hail to Edgerton and his patriotic citizens.

Perhaps if a few patriotic citizens would send Congressman H. A. Cooper a dispatch urging him to show his patriotism and stand by the president and his plans at this crisis it might help some. However, it is possible our congressman is too far impressed with his own importance that he forgets he represents several thousand of rebellious American citizens. It could not hurt to send the dispatch anyway.

Senator Burke of Green Bay proposes that if the United States government does not want the services of Colonel Roosevelt to lead an army corps, Wisconsin might do something to redeem itself in the eyes of the nation as regards its loyalty and national guard contingent. Burke always did have original ideas.

Perhaps if the legislature would take off the ban on spring fishing it might help somewhat toward reducing the high cost of living. Waiting until the river waters get so warm that the fish are lazy and sluggish may save the fish their lives, but it does not improve the fisherman's luck.

ON THE SPUR of the MOMENT

ROY K. MOULTON

FABLE FOR YOUNG GIRLS.

Oh, once I saw a little girl, a naughty girl was she, She was so very wilful and as bad as she could be. She never helped her ma a bit, but she passed her back instead. And she never did the dishes and she never made her bed!

She was a very pretty girl, but goodness, oh so vain. And she had an older sister who was most extremely plain. So their mother she was fond of, for though she was not a Pippin, she was such a Worthy Girl!

She stayed at home to sew and mend, and as proper maidens should. And her sister called her poky and an awful goody-good. But their mother always says that with Pearl they have a happy life. And says that she was sure to make some man a model wife.

Of course at this, the younger May, she cussed her wayward head. And went and picked her richest beau and soon the two were wed. And to her ma young May observed, "She'll never make a wife at all—she'll never get the chance!"

HAPPY THOUGHT

One way to Get What You Like is to Like what You Get.

The Comma. A comma is a little thing. It takes but little space. You scarcely notice it, except when it is out of place.

The Toes. Very often one says to himself, "Why have I these toes that mean so little to me, after all?" And after thinking it over one realizes that the truth about the toes, their function and purpose, is a thing that perhaps we shall never know. The toes interest or amuse few people except babies and then only because they believe they are small pigs. There



is quite a little enjoyment to be had in wiggling your toes when you are young, but that loses most of its fun when you are too old to go barefoot. Well grown toes do little more than cause suffering and embarrass their owners while in bathing. There is nothing so unsightly as the adult toe. The only consolation you have while in bathing is that if your toes are funny looking why, so are all the others. People of the greatest refinement must confess that their bare toes have a certain elegance. There may have been a time when toes were as useful to humans as they still are to canaries, but we have little use for them today except to stretch them when we get up in the morning.

Saturday Night. No peace befalls the man of evil heart.

Nor yet to him who hath espoused a shrew. Uneasy they who play a traitor's part. All this, you must allow, is very true. Of those who have no rest are many kinds. And many sorts of men, but oh, my love,

None, none can class with that poor wretch who finds That poker hands infest the flat above!

The Daily Novelette

MODERN IMPROVEMENTS.

The theatre had been newly decorated, mock oranges hung in beautiful festoons. Mocking birds sang gaily in their mock gold cages. Mock marble pillars and mock granite steps were a wonder to see. Mock tapestries hung hither and thither and anon. The chairs were large and commodious and the large audience noticed that the arms were long and quite comfortable.

After the seventeenth reel of the Life of a Mock Turtle had been shown the manager stepped to the footlights amid loud and thunderous applause. Touching an electric button with his mock-diamond finger, every spectator was locked securely in each chair by a brass rod that shot from one arm of the chair to the other. This naturally caused some commotion.

"Ladies and gents," began the manager, "one night while on this rostrum, I endeavored to recite a poem entitled, 'Curfew Shall Not Shoot at Sight,' and the whole audience left the theatre."

"Tonight, with all these seat-locking improvements, I propose to recite 'Bunkerbean.'"

And with a mocking laugh, he began and finished. (The end.)

SHARON

Sharon, April 23.—Mrs. Charles Kallans was called to Delavan Saturday by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Ben Parrish.

Naomi Gibbons of Clinton, visited Pauline and Sunday with Sharon friends.

Ivan Peters, who has been spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Peters, returned to Carthage College Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chappell of Rockford, visited Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Shager.

Joseph Peterson of Harvard, spent Sunday here with her sisters, Anna and Tressa.

Bert Gibbons and little son of Milwaukee, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. P. Gibbons.

Miss Gladys Wilkins returned to Whitewater Sunday. She was accompanied as far as Janesville by her father, Rufus Wilkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moser were at Allen's Grove Sunday to visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Larsen and children and Mr. and Mrs. C. Goelzer and children, visited Sunday at H. P. Larsen's in Geneva.

Mr. and Mrs. William Markell are spending the week with their son, George and family in Delavan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Huber and daughter of Allen's Grove, were Sharon shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sweet and children of Clinton, are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. Sweet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Carr.

Miss Mable Harris of Delavan, returned home the last of the week after a visit here with relatives.

Miss Gladys Wilkins went to Walworth Saturday, where she acted as bridesmaid at the Stuppel-Stam wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. T. James and daughter, Ester, were in Delavan Saturday.

Miss Mildred Street of Chicago, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Miss Wynona Johnson of Chicago, spent Sunday with her mother and sister here.

Ernest Wolcott of Algona, Iowa, was called here by the death of Mrs. H. Allen.

Mrs. Robert Brown left Monday for a few days' visit at Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sweet of Allen's Grove, spent Monday with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Goelzer and family.

Rev. Father Pierce and Earl Harvey spent Sunday in Geneva City.

Essie Kelly, who has been at Hamilton, Canada for the past few months, came home Monday.

Mrs. Herman Allen died at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Goelzer, Saturday evening, aged seventy-six years, after a lingering illness with heart disease. She leaves to mourn her demise two daughters, Flora, at home, and Mrs. Alan C. Shanon, three stepchildren, Etta, Alva of Milwaukee, and Burley of Ipswich, South Dakota, besides a host of friends.

Miss Viola Chester of Beloit, spent Sunday at her home here.

A large delegation of Standard Bearers went to Beloit Saturday to attend a rally. The Sharon orchestra furnished music. Among those from here that attended were: Mrs. W. C. Kenyon and Mrs. M. V. Dewire, L. A. Dewire, Floyd Wedrich, Gordon Menzie, Leon Kelhofer and the Misses Amy Bonsall, Althea Chester, Florence Sherman, Pearl Klein and Beulah Menzie.

Mrs. Margaret Shufelt of Harvard, spent the latter part of the week with Mrs. Ann Rodawalt, who suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Miss Rose Dulan gave a miscellaneous shower at her home Saturday afternoon in honor of her friend, Miss Carrie Ryder, who is soon to become a bride. Fourteen young ladies were present and the bride-to-be received many beautiful presents. Dainty refreshments were served.

The domestic science department realized \$31.80 from their bakers' and candy sale at the exhibit Saturday.

The W. R. C. held their regular meeting Saturday. After initiatory work dainty refreshments were served by Mesdames Frank, Chester and Roy Reister.

The Sharon high school baseball team won the game at Delavan Saturday with a score of 24 to 14.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burton entertained a few friends of their son, Lyle, in honor of his twelfth birthday on Thursday afternoon.

Word was received the past week of the serious illness with diphtheria of

Miss Florence Culver, at her home in Edgewater.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Salisbury and daughter, Dorothy, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lohman and daughter, Esther, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alden of Elkhorn.

Mrs. Harry Palmer and little son were Harvard visitors Friday.

Lower East was taken worse Sunday and was taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Dema Haley at Harvard, who will care for him.

Mrs. Rob Kompf spent Monday in Beloit with relatives.

Walter Keough of Clinton, and Mary Zick, who resides west of town, were married Saturday at five p. m. at the home of Father Pierce, and left on the evening train for Madison.

They will be at home to their friends after a few weeks at the home of the groom.

Herman and Anna Morris, with their nieces and nephews visited Sunday at J. McCarthy's at Darlen.

Mrs. Mary Conry returned from Harvard Monday, where she has been visiting relatives.

CENTER

Center, April 23.—The Center correspondent wishes to correct the typographical error in last week's issue in regard to the sale of the B. W. Brown farm. He received the net sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars per acre, instead of seventy as the item read.

It was Mrs. Mary Fisher who underwent an operation at Mercy Hospital recently instead of Miss Mary Fuller.

C. A. Rosa has improved his residence by the addition of a fine large porch.

Mrs. Edson Brown pleasantly entertained the following ladies last Thursday P. M.: Mesdames Dorothy Dixon, Mrs. L. J. Yeomans, Popple, Sr., Popple, Jr., Fuller and Crall. Also Miss Ella Morgan of Cookeville.

The affair was in honor of Mrs. Stella Brown and her mother. A fine time was had by all.

All who are interested in hearing the gospel preached by an able speaker attend the series of meetings in progress at the Christian Church in Janesville and listen to Rev. Kindred of the Englewood Church of Chicago. You will surely enjoy and appreciate the pleasure of the beautiful song service led by Mr. and Mrs. Bear.

Singing Evangelists who are helping to carry on this good work. A number of Centerists were in attendance both Sunday morning and evening. Let all attend who can.

Mrs. Laura Gooch did paper hanging for Mae Fuller Saturday.

Mrs. Ernest Demare returned to her home in Hanover Sunday after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Will Natz.

UNIVERSITY SENIORS RAISE MONEY FOR CHIMES

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Nadison, Wis., April 24.—In the midst of all the war talk which is surrounding the campus at the present time, the members of the senior class who have not as yet enlisted are endeavoring to raise enough money to purchase chimes for the university as a memorial. Many prominent members of the faculty heartily endorse the plan and are putting forth their best efforts to securing a set of eight bells. Every member of the graduating class will be asked to contribute five dollars towards the memorial to their Alma Mater.

ABE MARTIN



Have you noticed the beautiful bond of friendship between the owners of cheap cars? Miss Fawn Lippincott did not attend "East Lynne" last night as tears wash the paint off.

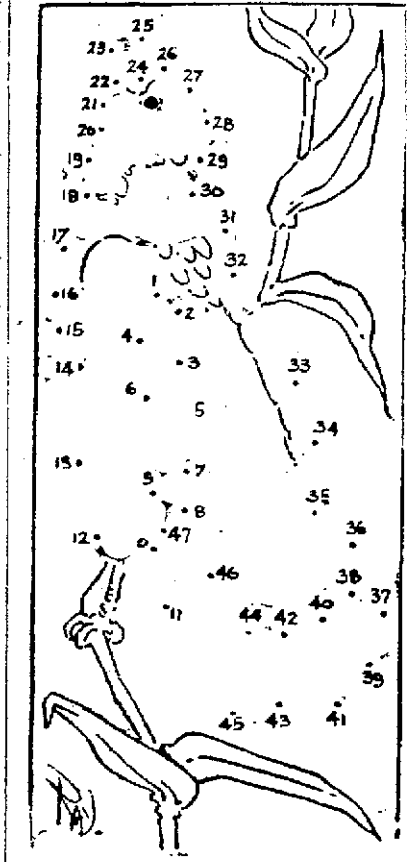
A Simple Way To Remove Dandruff

There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then wash it off entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid arvon from any drug store (this is all you will need), apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

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ASHLAND ELK MINSTRELS PRANCE ON BOARDS TONIGHT

Ashland, April 24.—Elks of Ashland—that is the lodgemen, not the antlers—ones are staging the big event of the year in the way of entertainment tonight.

The annual minstrel show is on, and it will be repeated tomorrow night.

FARM TOOL SHORTAGE IMPENDING IS CLAIM

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Chicago, April 24.—Officials of farm machinery manufacturing concerns in the middle west today expressed fear that unless the government soon extends aid there will be a serious shortage of farm implements. With the increased demand for food stuffs and labor there is apt to be a shortage of farm implements. The government is said to have contracted for the entire output of cotton ducks. This will curtail the output of binders, manufacturers as it will take all the ducks available for the manufacture of binders.

ASHLAND SCHOOL CHILDREN GET PENNIES FOR BELGIANS

Ashland, April 24.—Children of Ashland are collecting pennies for the poor and needy of Belgium. Different rooms of the public schools are vying with each other in giving the greatest amount to the fund.

KENOSHA CLAIMS LEADERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS FOR WAR

Kenosha, April 24.—Kenosha leads all Wisconsin cities in the thoroughness of organization for war conservations along all lines. Not only will foodstuffs come under the campaign, but the organization contemplates reinforcements in savings, clothing, housing, transportation, public utilities, manufacturing and everything that has to do with social, commercial and civic life.

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LOCAL ALL STARS DEFEAT RIVER STREET WHITE SOX

Captain Charles Bick of the Janesville All Stars announces that this baseball aggregation is in the field for honors again this year. The Stars won their opening contest by trouncing the River Street White Sox, 28 to 3, in the fourth ward park. Wall and Crowley are doing the catching for the Stars, with Haggerty and Bick peering in the box. Ryan is at short. Mendenhall is first, Crowley and Wall at second, and Kingsley of Rockford at third, with Buggs, Gokey and Haggerty in the outfield. The Stars are cautious prospective opponents to book their games immediately as he is fast arranging his schedule and somebody is liable to be left out unless they speak up at once.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

A large attendance is expected at the meeting this evening of the Janesville City Lodge No. 90, O. O. F. There will be degree work.

The social meeting of the ladies' auxiliary to the A. O. H. will be held Wednesday evening, April 25th, at eight o'clock in the Catalpa rooms. Religious articles for sale. Crucifixes, prayer books, etc., at St. Joseph's convent.

A regular meeting of Janesville Chapter No. 50, O. E. S., will be held at the Masonic Temple tomorrow evening at 8:00 o'clock.

CORRECTION.

Shelden Hardware advertisement in last night's Gazette read as though the special Wear-Ever demonstration was next week. This is not the case. The demonstration is being held every day this week.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends and relatives for their kindness and sympathy in our recent bereavement and also for the beautiful floral offerings.

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CLUB WOMEN MEET IN ANNUAL CONVENTION

REPRESENTATIVES OF SEVERAL COUNTIES ASSEMBLE HERE FOR ANNUAL CONVENTION.

IS DISTRICT MEETING

Many Notable Speakers Appear on Program of Two Days' Sessions—Banquet This Evening.

(By Mrs. Abbie Helms)

Today the city was entered by a considerable force of foreign invaders. They came to take part in the annual convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs. They were greeted with cordial hospitality by the citizens and now for the time being Janesville is the headquarters of the Southern Wisconsin, having capitulated without delay. Not for conquest are these women out to do both, but to wage a ceaseless warfare against the forces of crime, disease and wasteful poverty that menace the inhabitants, especially the children of our communities. This meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs is an event that is looked forward to by club members throughout the year. Here reports are given of work accomplished by individual clubs and ideas are formulated for the future.

The first district takes in the counties of Kenosha, Racine, Rock, Walworth and Waukesha. Its members are about 100 in all, representing a membership of nearly two thousand club women. These clubs are each entitled to two delegates and the same number of alternates and these with the officers, forms the corporate body which transacts the business of the convention.

The Methodist church which is to be the headquarters for this meeting was a busy place this forenoon but arrangements had been so perfectly planned that everything possible was done to make the convention comfortable for the guests under the supervision of committees headed by Mrs. H. D. Murdoch. The ladies began arriving at 9 o'clock and the grain committee consisting of Mrs. Wm. Curtis, Mrs. Wild, Mrs. Wm. Tallman, Mrs. Andrew Gibbons, Mrs. Henry Hall, Mrs. C. Thompson and Mrs. Roy McDonald. These ladies were distinguished by wearing yellow badges and with autos and other conveyances. Here the delegates were asked to register and receive their badges from the Bureau of Information and Registration in charge of Mrs. E. O. Kimberley. Next they could leave their suitcases and umbrellas at the parcel booth in charge of Mrs. P. Mrs. J. E. Collins and Miss Collins of Brodhead, were the guests of Janesville. Mrs. Wm. Matteson of Darien, was the recent guest of relatives in this city.

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An error in the types in last evening's advertisement for The Beverly Theatre made it appear that the matinee for the "Birth of a Nation" charge would be 50c, as well as the correct price is 25c (Reserved) for matinees and this correction is gladly made.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Le Roy Sykes who has been quite ill for the past week is improving. Mr. and Mrs. George Washington Yahr, Jr., of 438 North Pearl street, are the proud parents of an eight pound son, born Sunday afternoon at Mercy hospital.

Miss Mollie Marskie and Hattie Puffinbarger were Beloit visitors last evening.

W. N. Cash of this city has returned from a visit with friends in Evansville.

Miss Hill has returned home after a week-end visit with Chicago friends. Mrs. C. F. Brockhaus and Mrs. Con Ryan are home from a Madison visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Reitzler.

The Misses Clara and Violet Churchill are home from a visit with their sister in Center.

Deborah of Cherry street, went to Oshkosh today, where she will visit for some time at the home of her mother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen.

Mrs. B. Ryan and Miss Nora Ryan of this city, were the week-end guests of friends in Beloit.

Mrs. A. A. May of 332 South Main street, has gone to Chicago for a visit of several days with relatives. She will leave there the last of the week for Little Rock, Ark., where she expects to spend several weeks, the guest of friends and relatives.

Mrs. Hubert Ford and son, Wychell, were Chicago visitors on Monday. J. B. Deborn of Cherry street, has gone to Minnesota on a business trip for a few weeks.

T. F. McKeligue is spending a couple of days in Chicago with a friend. Mrs. J. B. Barless is visiting this week at the home of Mrs. Mary Paul in Milton Junction.

Mrs. and Mrs. Patrick Connors of 15 South Jackson street, have gone to Chicago, where they expect to spend a week with friends.

Henry McLaughlin was a Beloit visitor over Sunday.

McGriffin of Washington street, was a Rockford business visitor today.

Janesville Guests.

Mrs. T. Brown and four children of Paoli, Ind., have come to Janesville to make their home.

Mrs. George Gray and Miss Wiant-Danger of Waterloo, who have been spending the past few days at the home of W. B. Frey of Union street, will leave for Rockford this evening.

Mr. Farnell J. S. Murphy from Chicago, is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Mary Connell at 216 Lincoln street.

Miss Gertrude McGrady of Chicago, who was the guest of Mrs. and Mrs. Ben Fullman of South Main street, has returned to her home.

W. Engstrom of Whitewater, is in town to attend the theatre this evening.

Albert Tanberg of Chicago, who is a former Janesville resident, is spending a few days in town on business and visiting relatives.

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SUPERVISORS CHOOSE BELOIT MAN LEADER; ON BOARD 31 YEARS

Simon Smith of Line City Heads Board Winning Election Over Marshall Richardson of Janesville.

Simon Smith, serving his thirty-first consecutive term on the Rock County Board of Supervisors as the representative of the city of Beloit, was elected to the position of president of the board at the annual meeting of the board held at the Rock County Courthouse on Monday evening, April 23rd.

The board of supervisors in the special session which commenced today, in 1898-1899 Mr. Smith held the same office. The first ballot was cast after nominations closed without the expected present. The board featured the election of a year ago in which the late E. C. Hopkins of Edgerton was the choice over Mr. Richardson. This vote gave Mr. Smith a majority of 16 to 10.

John A. Paul, Milton, 5, and G. C. Clemenson of Oshkosh, were the only ones who voted for Richardson. The vote cast for Clemenson went to Smith giving the latter the chairmanship twenty to fourteen. Paul's backers voted five solidly against Richardson.

Richardson's name was proposed for the office of vice-chairman but he lost to Paul, twenty-one to eighteen on the first ballot.

Acceptable consideration to accept the rules of the last board as those to govern the procedure of the board was given by a vote of 16 to 10.

Most important of the business to be done was the report of the tuberculosis sanatorium committee which submitted a report at two o'clock p. m. Just what recommendations the board in charge of this feature will make, is unknown.

The business scheduled for the session will be the straightening out of an intricate salary question involving County Superintendent of Schools D. Antiel, and a proposed tentative plan for repairs to the county farm buildings at an approximate cost of twenty or twenty-five thousand dollars.

The Wisconsin Industrial Commission has ordered the electric wiring replaced and in addition there will be a complete renovation of the buildings, the ceilings, floors and plumbing to be installed.

SPELLING CONTESTS ARE BEING PLANNED

Township Events Will Be Held on Thursday Afternoon, May 3—Instructions Sent Out.

The annual township spelling contests will be held at one o'clock on Thursday afternoon, May 3, at the Rock County Courthouse. The contests will be conducted in the various townships. A letter of instructions governing the methods of conducting the contests, being sent out to each township from the county superintendent's office.

Two leaders have been appointed from the rural teachers of each town to have supervision of the contests. They will be in charge of the contests and will select a leader where not otherwise provided for. In addition to spelling there will be a contest in arithmetic and a contest in reading, marking in the latter being determined by the spelling papers. Teachers in charge are in the school buildings and will see that pupils are using the muscular movement, or markings in writing cannot be given.

Copies of the spelling lists and of the township lists to be given will be sent to the township teachers. Tabulation sheets will be supplied for each contest which will be kept and forwarded to Superintendent Antiel. In addition the papers of the four highest contestants in each town must be sent to the county superintendent's office. The two highest in each town will compete in the county contest to be held in June.

Arrangements have been made for the township school faculty and the county superintendent's staff to assist in holding the contests. They have been assigned as follows: Miss Jacobson, town of Appleton; Miss Luce at Lima Center; Principal F. J. Lowth at District No. 3, town of Porter; Superintendent Antiel, contests of towns of Rock, Milton, Janesville and Janesville, which will be held at the court house; Miss Clapp at Milton Junction, town of Milton; Miss Rice, town of Centre; and Miss Bill, town of Spring Valley.

ENEMY ALIENS HERE KEEPING THEIR GUNS

Liability to Arrest If Contraband Found in Their Possession in Violation of Proclamation.

Although today was the last one in which alien enemies had to surrender to city and county police departments all arms and ammunition, weapons and their component parts, neither the county sheriff's office nor the Janesville police station this afternoon evidenced any unusual crowding with an over-supply of pocket gates, rifles, shotguns or cartridges.

The fact is neither Chief of Police P. D. Champion nor Sheriff "Bub" Whipple received a single visit from a foreigner to place weapons in the custody of the authorities throughout the duration of the war.

In addition to the contraband of war, aliens should not have in their possession ammunition, explosives of any nature, code documents, radio or aero plants, or parts of radio or aero machines or the machines themselves.

All this is in accord with a proclamation issued by President Wilson on April 6th.

Enemy aliens who still possess the articles declared in the president's proclamation are liable to arrest.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Boy Scouts' Attention: On Friday evening, April 27th, at the Presbyterian church, Dr. C. F. Clarke will give a lecture on "Boy Scouts on First Aid to the Injured." All Boy Scouts of the city and their friends are invited to hear Dr. Clarke on this subject.

White Sox added another victory to their list when they journeyed to Harmony Sunday and swamped them by a score of 31 to 2. During the game the White Sox knocked four pitchers out of the box. Moore, pitching for the White Sox performed brilliantly, passing only two batters during the entire game. The playing of Canning and McGinley was also noticeable. Sunday the Sox play the Mystic Athletic Club again. This promises to be a snappy game to be played at the White Sox diamonds.

Glycerin was once a byproduct of the soap making industry, the disposal of which gave the manufacturers some concern.

MILITIA COMPANY ENLISTS 7 MORE MEN IN EDGERTON

Six More Needed Before Branch Platoon Can Be Formed in Edgerton.—Public Drill Tonight.

Seven new men for the branch platoon of the Second Separate company which is being organized by Edgerton, were secured by the recruiting party under Lieutenant Hau last evening when they went to Edgerton to enlist new men and drill the twenty-seven rookies who have been sworn in since Saturday. The men who enlisted yesterday were: Liram B. Knapp, George Boese, Paul Jensen, Kenneth Lutz, Frank Devine, Alfred Leeborg and William Christman.

A total of thirty-three men must be enlisted in that city before a branch platoon can be completed, which is not authorized to send an officer to them for drill, and as a consequence they would be in the same position as the recruits from Evansville, Brodhead and other towns about the county from which men have enlisted, and would have to come to Janesville once a week for their training.

Complete confidence is expressed, however, by both the officers of the company and the Edgerton recruits that the remaining six and probably more can be enlisted in a very short time.

On Friday of this week Captain Caldwell will take the company to Edgerton for participation in the Loyalty Day celebration which is being held there. The company will make the trip with the company, in order to give the new men their first business training during the exercises, and all prospective recruits will have an opportunity to meet with Captain Caldwell to enlist.

Mr. Smith of this city yesterday completed his enlistment in the Second Separate company, being the first local man to be secured for several days.

Considerable improvement among the newer recruits was noted last evening when Captain Caldwell put them through an hour and a half of drill. Tonight the old men will be drilled and the new men will be drilled for public outdoor drill.

The company will be held on the streets near the Gazette office, that they may see what has been done with two months' company assemblies at half past seven and drill starts at eight o'clock.

Captain Caldwell has accepted an invitation to be present at the annual spring of the union church brotherhoods at the Methodist church Wednesday evening.

The invitation was extended to the company as a personal and tribute to the president and governor.

Captain Caldwell has also received word from General Holway, adjutant general, that the future he can accept enlistments of young men over eighteen with or without their parents' consent. This means that several of the enlisted men of the company during the past few weeks and were rejected for lack of parents' consent, can now be accepted if they desire.

WILL GIVE LECTURE ON CITY PLANNING

Professor Leonard S. Smith of State University to Lecture at M. E. Church on City Planning.

Professor Leonard S. Smith of the University of Wisconsin will deliver an illustrated lecture on city planning tomorrow evening at the quarter to the Methodist church. Prof. Smith will come to Janesville in the morning to make a survey of the city, and will center his remarks on the changes which might be well made in the planning of this city.

He has devoted his entire life to a study of cities and their development and comes here well qualified to talk on the subject. The matter of city planning is especially timely from a local standpoint and it is believed that his constructive advice on the subject will be of great interest to Janesville people.

The lecture is given under the auspices of the Commercial Club and the Brotherhood of the church and is free. The public is cordially invited to hear Professor Smith.

OBITUARY.

H. I. Ingersol.

H. I. Ingersol who dropped dead on Milwaukee street a week ago last Saturday was buried this morning at eleven o'clock in Oak Hill cemetery. Short services were held at the grave.

Mary A. Litney.

Funeral services for late Mary A. Litney were held this morning at nine o'clock at St. Mary's church, the Rev. Father Olson officiating. The body was taken overland to Edgerton for interment. Two grandsons and four nephews acted as pallbearers.

Edward Albright.

The funeral of Edward Albright, who died last week, was held this morning at two o'clock from the home, 2515 Pleasant street. The Rev. Father Olson officiated. The services were conducted by the services, and Mrs. Dahly and Mrs. Hammarlund were the singers. A great profusion of floral offerings and a great number of people were present. The interment was in Oak Hill cemetery. The pallbearers were: Henry Gness, Oscar Quarna, Carl Quarna, and Fred Freese.

Saloon License Fund: County Treasurer Church has received \$100 from the city of Janesville and \$900 from Beloit, being the balance due from the two cities on the county's proportion of the 1916 saloon license money.

Maxwell Nelson, Western Star Lodge No. 14, will meet in special communication this evening at 7:30 p. m. Work in M. M. degree. Visiting brothers welcome. Refreshments.

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Brodhead News

Brodhead, April 24.—Miss Mable Sackett departed on Monday for her ranch near Acone, North Dakota. She expects to remain there for two years more.

Frank Ross was a passenger to Chicago Monday to visit friends for a brief time.

J. R. Foster was out from Milwaukee to spend Sunday with his family returning to that city Monday.

L. J. Stair went to Madison Monday for a short business trip.

A. A. Gillett of Juda, was a business visitor in Brodhead Monday. He was in Brodhead where he is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. F. T. Richards and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Matzke of Monroe, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Emil Klingbeil and family for a few days.

Miss Clara Fessenden of Monroe Sunday at the home of her mother. Roger Mooney is home from Iowa City, Iowa on account of the death of his grandmother, Mrs. S. Blake.

Mrs. William Wilkinson spent Monday in Janesville with friends.

Mrs. G. B. Lahr of Juda was a Brodhead visitor Monday.

Mrs. Walter Ramey went to Beloit, Monday, on a short visit to friends.

NOTICE—Gazette is on sale in Brodhead at Miller's News Stand.

Amazing Vogue of Golf.

Twenty-five years ago there was as much golf played in the United States as there is baseball played in the central villages of the Fiji Islands, which is to say practically none whatever. Yet there are today more than 3,200 golf courses, covering more than 300,000 acres, inhabited by something like 900,000 players of both sexes from twelve to eighty years of age. In the broad span of sport no one can recall such a development as this in so short a time.—Grantland Rice in New York Tribune.

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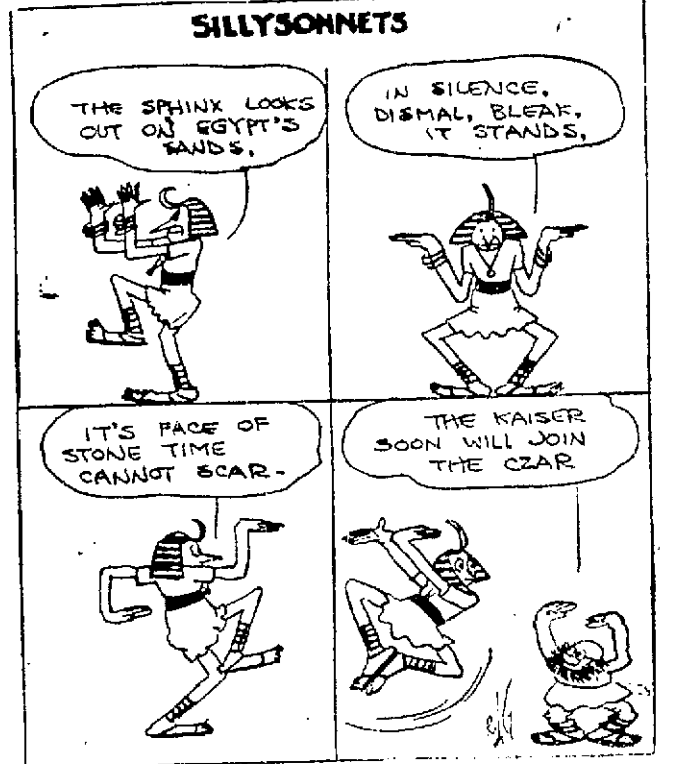
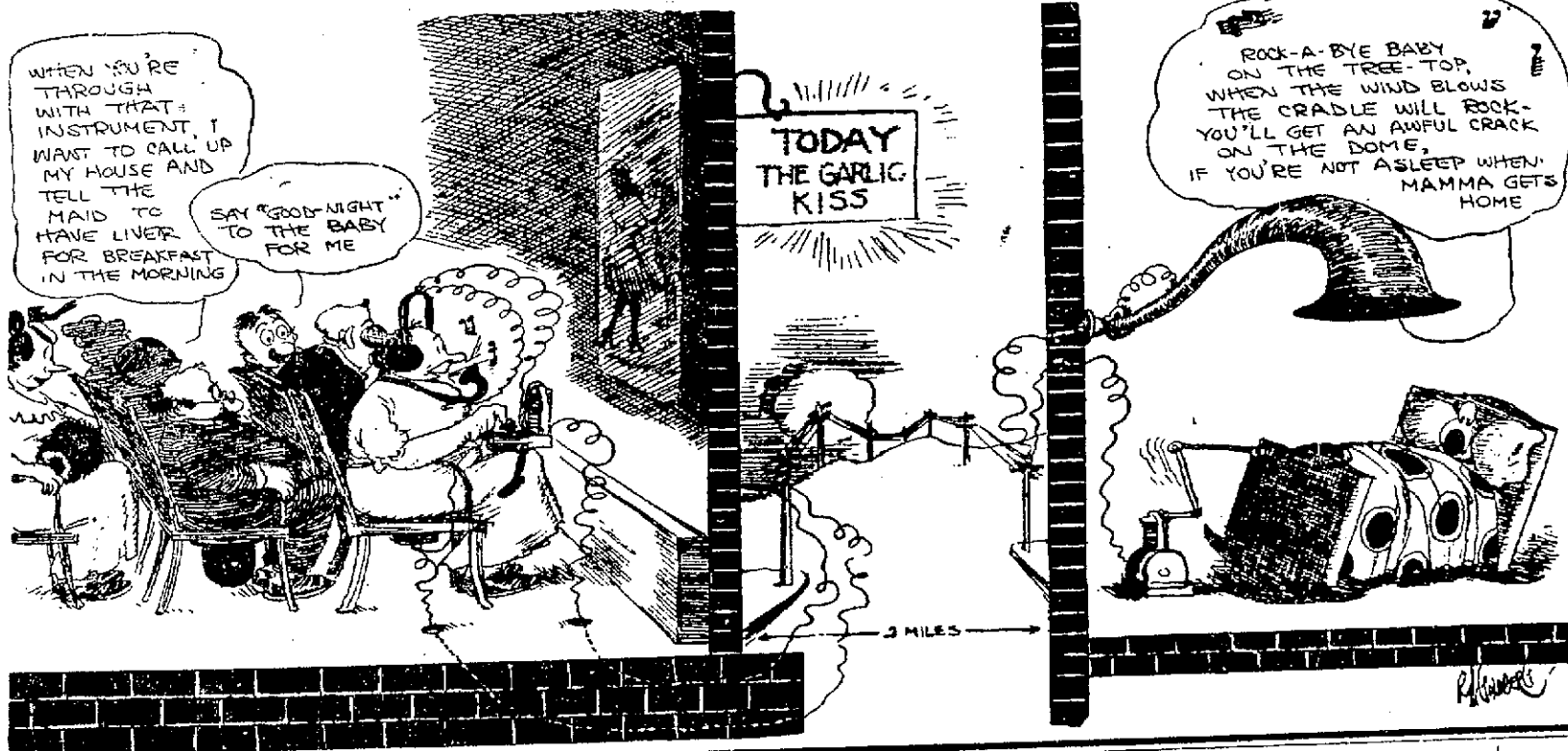
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A ROMANCE OF THE LEWIS AND CLARK EXPEDITION.
By Emerson Haugh,
Author of "The Mississippi Bubble," "Fifty-four, Forty or Fight," Etc.
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In this curious fashion Patrick Gass (the army—later one of the journals of the expedition and always one of its most faithful and efficient members—signed his name on the rolls of the Lewis and Clark expedition.

There was not one of the frontiersmen in the boat who had any comment to make upon any phase of the transaction. Indeed, it seemed much in the nature of their work to them. But from that instant every man in the boat knew he had a leader who could be depended upon for prompt and efficient action in any emergency, and from that moment also their leader knew he could depend on his men.

"I have nothing to complain of," said Patrick Gass, addressing his new friends impartially as he shifted his belongings to suit him and took his place at a rowing seat. "I have nothing to complain of. I've been saying I would like to have one more ride before I enlisted. The army is too tame for a fellow of my spirit. None of them at this camp yonder, where I was two days, would take it on with me after the first day. I was full of life for something to interest me and to make me feel that I was doing something. I found it. Now I am content to let me vacation and come back to the morrow of business life."

The boat advanced steadily enough thereafter throughout the night. They pulled ashore at dawn and, after the fashion of experienced travelers, were soon about the business of the morning meal.

The leader of the party drew apart for the morning plunge which was his custom. Cover lacking on the bare sand where they had landed, he was not fully out of sight when at length, freshened by his plunge, he stood drying himself for dressing. Unconscious, by his arm extended. He looked for all the world the very statue of the young Apollonius of the Varian, the finest figure of a man that the art of antiquity has handed down to us.

As that smiling youth out of the past stood, seraph in hand, drying himself after the games so new and strange to this young American, type of a new race splendid as the Greeks themselves in the immortal beauty of life. His white body shining in the sun, every rolling muscle plainly visible—even that rare muscle over the hip beloved of the ancients, but now forgotten of sculptors because rarely seen on a man to-day—so comely was he, so like a god in his clean youth, that Patrick Gass,

CHAPTER XIII.
Captain William Clark.
"Merne!"
The two young men gripped hands as the great bateau swung ashore at the Point of Rocks on the Kentucky side of the Ohio. They needed not to do more, these two. The face of each told the other what he felt. Their mutual devotion, their generosity and unselfishness, their undragging unity of purpose, their perfect comradeship—what wonder so many have called the story of these two more romantic than romance itself!

"It has been long since we met, Will," said Meriwether Lewis. "I have been eating my heart out up at Pittsburg. I got your letter, and glad enough I was to have it. I had been fearing that I would have to go on alone. Now I feel as if we already had succeeded. I cannot tell you—but I don't need to try."

Lewis, "and a thousand things have delayed us. Are you ready to start?"

"In ten minutes—in five minutes. I will have my boy York go up and get my ride and my bags."

"Your brother, General Clark, how is he?"

William Clark shrugged with a smile which had half as much sorrow as mirth in it.

"The truth is, Merne, the general's heart is broken. He thinks that his country has forgotten him."

"Forgotten him? From Detroit to New Orleans we owe it all to George Rogers Clark. It was he who opened the river from Pittsburgh to New Orleans. He'll not need, now, to be an ally of France again. Once more a member of your family will be in at the finding of a vast new country."

"Merne, I've sold my farm. I got \$10,000 for my place, and so I am off with you, not with much of it left in my pockets, but with a clean bill and a good conscience and some of the family debts paid. I care not how far we go or when we come back. I thank Mr. Jefferson for taking me on with you. 'Tis the gladdest time in all my life."

"We are friends and share alike, Will," said his friend Lewis soberly. "Tell me, can we get beyond the Mississippi this fall, do you think?"

"Doubtful," said Clark. "The Spanish of the valley are not very well reconciled to this Louisiana side, and neither are the French. They have been holding all that country in partnership, each people afraid of the other and both showing their teeth to us. But I hear the commission is doing well at St. Louis, and I presume the transfer will be made this fall or winter. After that they cannot stop us from going on."

"What sort of men have you in your party, Merne?"

"Only good ones, I think. Young Shannon and an army sergeant by the name of Gass—Patrick Gass. They should be very good men. I brought on Collins from Maryland and Pete Weller from Pennsylvania, also good stuff. I think. McNeal, Potts, Gibson—I got those around Carlisle. We need more men."

"I have picked out a few here," said Clark. "You know Kentucky breeds explorers. I have a good blacksmith, Shields, and Bill Bratton is another blacksmith. Either can tinker a gun if need be. Then I have John Coulter, an active, strapping chap, and the two Fields boys, whom I know to be good men, and Charlie Floyd, Nate Prosser, and a couple of others—Wagner and Whitehouse. We should get the rest at the forts around St. Louis. I want to take my boy York along. A negro is always good natured under hardship, and a laugh now and then will not hurt any of us."

Lewis nodded assent.

"Your judgment of men is as good as mine, Will. But, come, it is September, and the leaves are falling. All my men have the full hunt in their blood. They will start for any place at any moment. Let us move. Suppose you take the boat on down and let me go across, horseback, to Kaskaskia. I have some business there, and I will try for a few more recruits. We must have fifty men."

The day was but beginning for the American republic. All the air was vibrant with the passion of youth and romance. Yonder in the west there might be fame and fortune for any man with courage to adventure. The world had not yet settled down to its abominable grooves of life from which no

human soul might fight its way out save at cost of sweetness and content and hope. The chance of one man might still equal that of another—yonder, in that vast new world along the Mississippi, beyond the Mississippi, more than a hundred years ago.

Into that world there now pressed a flowing, seething, restless mass, a new population seeking new avenues of hope and life, of adventure and opportunity. Riflemen, axmen, fighting men, riding men, boatmen, plowmen—their made over out and on, laughing at the Cossack laugh at the mere thought of any man or thing withstanding them.

There were three flags along here and there in the western country then, and none knew what land rightly belonged under any of the three. Indeed, over the heart of that region now floated all the three banners at the same time—that of Spain, passing, but still proud, for a generation actual governor if not actual owner of all the country beyond the Mississippi as far as it had any government at all; that of France, owner of the one great seaport, New Orleans, settler of the valley for a generation, and that of the new republic only just arriving into the respect of men either of the east or the west, a republic which had till recently exacted respect chiefly through the stark deadliness of its fighting and marching men.

It was a splendid game in which these two boys, Meriwether Lewis and William Clark, their scarcely were more than boys—now were entering. And with the superb unconsciousness and self-trust of youth they played it with dash and confidence, never doubting their success.

The prediction of William Clark none the less came true. In this matter of flags autocratic Spain was not disposed to yield. De Lassus, Spanish commandant for so many years, would not let the young travelers go beyond St. Louis, even so far as Charette. He must be sure that his country, which by right or not he had ruled so long, had not only been sold by Spain to France, but that the cession had been duly confirmed, and furthermore he must be sure that the cession by France to the United States had also been concluded formally.

Traders and trappers had been passing through from the plains country, yes; but this was a different matter. Here was a flotilla under a third flag. It must not pass. Spanish official dignity was not thus to be shaken, not to be hurried. All must wait, until the formalities had been concluded.

This delay meant the loss of the entire winter. The two young leaders of the expedition were obliged to make the best of it they could.

Clark formed an encampment in the timbered country across the Mississippi from St. Louis and soon had his men comfortably ensconced in cabins of their own building. Meanwhile he picked up more men around the adjacent military posts—Ordway and Howard and Fraser of the New England regiment, Cruzate, Labadie, Lajeunesse, Drouillard and other voyagers for watermen. They made a hardy and efficient band.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

POLK COUNTY RESIDENT
ARRESTED FOR THREATS
AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

La Crosse, April 24.—T. B. Wilson, citizen of the United States, was arrested on Monday in Polk county, charged with threatening President Wilson. He will have a hearing before a United States court commissioner today. District Attorney Wolfe announces a crusade against all persons making unlawful threats contrary to the law recently passed by congress.

Dinner Stories

"It is a rule, to which most good lawyers adhere," observed a well known attorney, "never to tell more than one knows. There was an incident in a western town where a lawyer carried the rule to the extreme."

"Counsel for one side objected to a person, whose name was on the court's register for some purpose or other, on the ground that he was dead. The counsel on the other side

declined to accept the assurance and demanded conclusive testimony on the point.

"Whereupon counsel for the other side arose and gave corroborative evidence as to the decease of the man in question."

"But, sir, how do you know the man's dead?" demanded opposing counsel.

"Well," was the reply. "I don't know. It's very difficult to prove whether he's dead or not."

"No. But I know this—they buried him, about a month ago on suspicion!"

It must be conceded that the tramp is a very Sherlock Holmes for making infallible deductions from slight observations.

"No use, 'bo—" The tramp coming from the house was informing the tramp going toward it. "I just periscope the window. It's a poverty-stricken dump, mate. I actually seen two women playin' on one peacocks."

Bobbie had been studying his grandfather's face, which was very much wrinkled.

"Well, Bob," said the old gentleman, "do you like my face?"

"Yes, grandpa," said Bobbie. "It's an awful nice face, but why don't you have it ironed?"

MILWAUKEE BUSINESS MAN
FOUND DEAD IN OFFICE

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Milwaukee, Wis., April 24.—Isadore Rose, president of the Rose Casting and Supply company, was found shot in the rear of his office building late Monday, a .38-caliber revolver being found at his side. Rose was rushed to the emergency hospital, but life was extinct before arriving there.



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